Yuma County HEOC/JIC COVID-19 DAILY UPDATE

3:00 PM, MONDAY, MAY 3, 2021

*****CURRENT SITUATIONAL REPORT*****

Yuma County Public Health District Update

Yuma County Health Officials confirm 10 new cases of COVID-19 and 0 new deaths, bringing the total cases to 37,098, and total deaths to 833. Health officials are conducting contact investigations.

Yuma County Public Health Services District has resumed using the Johnson & Johnson Janssen vaccine. The pause on the J&J vaccine against COVID-19 — which started April 13 after several women out of more than 6 million J&J vaccine recipients developed blood clots— was lifted April 23 after experts at the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention and the U.S. Food & Drug Administration agreed that the benefits of the vaccine substantially outweighed the risks. A federal advisory committee also recommended lifting the pause. The pause also gave experts time to carefully review all available data and conduct a risk-benefit analysis around the use of this vaccine.

A State run vaccination POD (Point of Distribution) is in operation at the Yuma Civic Center in cooperation with YRMC. The POD is providing 8,000 vaccinations per week at this time. The clinic's hours are 7 AM to 8 PM seven days a week.

The POD carries the Pfizer vaccine which is cleared to be given to ages 16 and older. Appointments are available by visiting podvaccine.azdhs.gov or calling 1-844-542-8201. Both the online registration and phone line are available in English and Spanish.

The Yuma County Health District expects to receive additional COVID-19 vaccine this week as part of its continuing effort to work with area partners in administering vaccinations. When doses are received, they will be shared with area providers to accommodate vaccination clinics throughout the County. Please visit the Arizona Department of Health Services – Vaccine Finder for the most up-to-date information on where vaccine is currently available. The website is updated frequently.

WEEKEND NUMBERS:

Saturday, May 1 - 6 new cases, *2 deaths
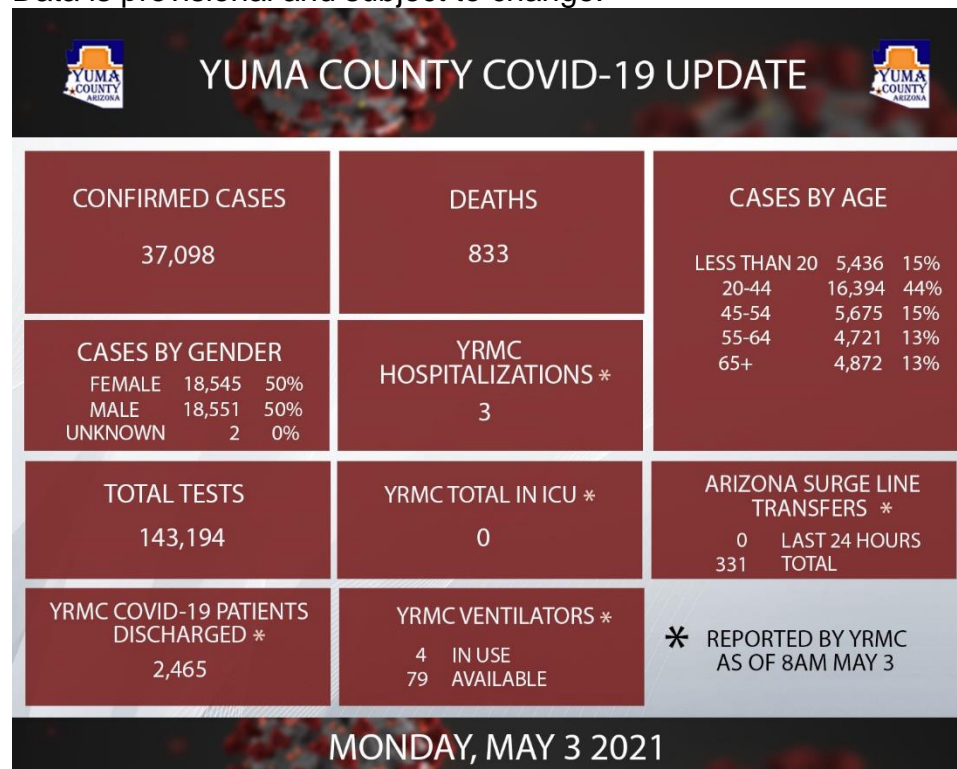**Sunday, May 2 - 3 new cases, 0 deaths**

*NOTE: Based on the ADHS/County Vital Records Surveillance information, deaths reported occurred as described below:

- 4/26/2021 (1)
- 4/27/2021 (1)

NOTE: All new cases of COVID-19 will include any positive cases from Yuma County Correctional Facilities and "Testing Blitz" locations.

- Arizona currently has 864,579 confirmed cases of COVID-19, resulting in 17,344 deaths
- Yuma County currently has 37,098 confirmed cases of COVID-19, resulting in 833 deaths
- Currently 143,194 Yuma County residents have been tested
- Currently 3 Yuma County Residents are hospitalized AS OF 8 am 05/3/21; please note the hospitalization numbers offer an accurate "snapshot" at the time of our daily update, but numbers may fluctuate throughout the day

Data is provisional and subject to change:

YUMA COUNTY COVID-19 UPDATE

CONFIRMED CASES	DEATHS	CASES BY AGE
37,098	833	LESS THAN 20 5,436 15% 20-44 16,394 44% 45-54 5,675 15% 55-64 4,721 13% 65+ 4,872 13%

CASES BY GENDER	YRMC HOSPITALIZATIONS *	
FEMALE 18,545 50% MALE 18,551 50% UNKNOWN 2 0%	3	

TOTAL TESTS	YRMC TOTAL IN ICU *	ARIZONA SURGE LINE TRANSFERS *
143,194	0	0 LAST 24 HOURS 331 TOTAL

YRMC COVID-19 PATIENTS DISCHARGED *	YRMC VENTILATORS *	* REPORTED BY YRMC AS OF 8AM MAY 3
2,465	4 IN USE 79 AVAILABLE	

MONDAY, MAY 3 2021

Yuma County Schools – Snapshot (reported weekly by ADHS)
CLICK HERE for - ADHS Updated EMERGENCY MEASURE (Schools) 2020-04

Select a county to filter the data.

What is this dashboard?

Hover over the icon to get more information on the data in this dashboard.

ADHS County-Level School Benchmarks
This dashboard is used to determine the level of community spread of COVID-19 in Arizona and assist with decision-making for the types of delivery model schools may consider.

Time Frame
The transmission indicator on this dashboard uses data from the most current complete calendar week (Sunday through Saturday). The week displayed now is:

▶ Apr 18   ○   ○   ○   ○   ○   ◀ Apr 24

Overall Indicator
If the two indicator differs for the two metrics, the higher transmission level is chosen.

Showing data for Yuma County | **Moderate Transmission** Hover for more information.

Cases per 100,000 individuals: Moderate

100/100k

50/100k

Apr 18
19/100k

10/100k

Mar 14   Mar 28   Apr 11

Percent positivity: Low

10%

8%

5%

Apr 18
2.6%

Mar 4   Mar 14   Mar 24   Apr 3   Apr 13

Date Updated: 4/29/2021

Yuma County COVID-19
Positive Cases

Daily Positive Cases   Face Covering Mandate   Cumulative Positive Cases   7-Day Rolling Average
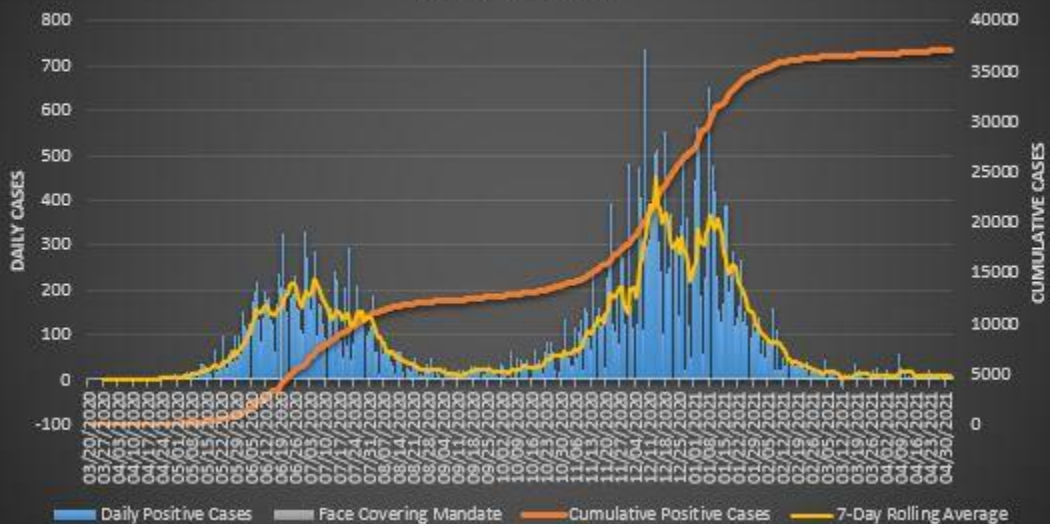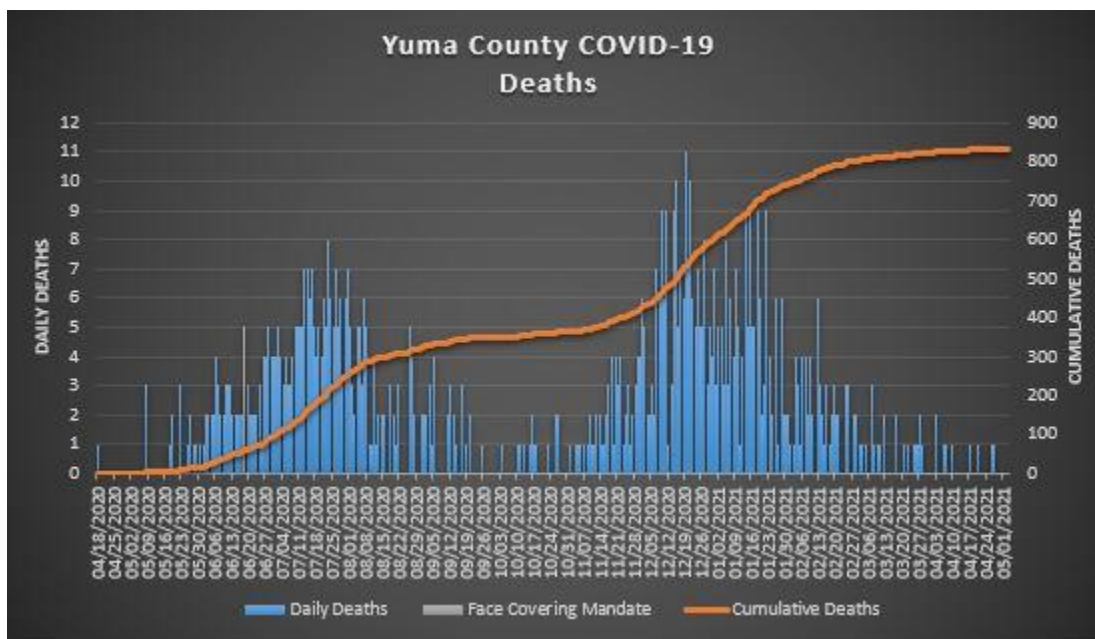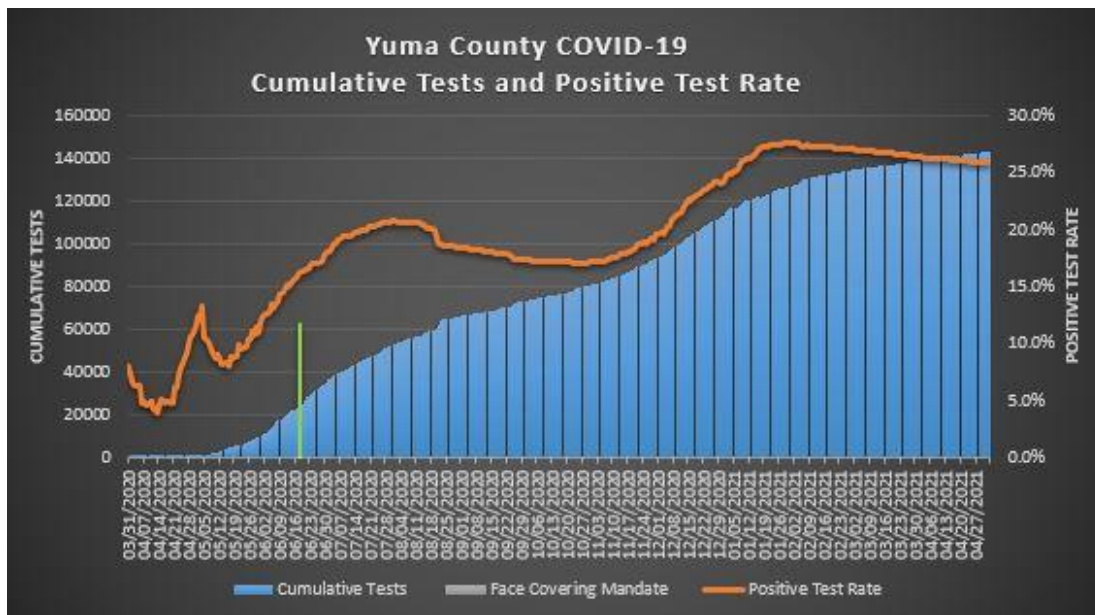
NOTE: Recently the UofA Center for Excellence in Desert Agriculture received funding approval from the Yuma County Board of Supervisors for a wastewater (sewer) surveillance program. This would be used as a potential mitigation tool as part of a layered multi-faceted approach to address COVID-19. The public can learn more about this at the CDC's National Wastewater Surveillance System web page.

I HAVE RECEIVED MY COVID-19 TEST, NOW WHAT DO I DO?:

When you can be around others depends on different factors for different situations. By following these steps (follow the link) you can continue to help stop the spread:

English - What now?

Spanish – What now?

TESTING OPPORTUNITIES:

YRMC
2460 S Parkview Loop #2
Yuma, AZ 85364
(928) 336-2160
8:00 - 11:30 am – 12:00 – 3:50 pm Mon-Fri
Must have a Doctor's order – By appointment
No fee to you with insurance
$125 without insurance
(25% discount for not having insurance, and 10% discount if paid within 30 days of test date)

YRMC – Foothills Walk-in Clinic
11142 S Scottsdale Dr
Yuma, AZ 85367
(928) 336-1815
8:00 am – 1:00 pm Sat
Must have a Doctor's order – By appointment
No fee to you with insurance
$125 without insurance
(25% discount for not having insurance, and 10% discount if paid within 30 days of test date)

San Luis Walk In Clinic - SAN LUIS
1896 E. Babbitt Ln
San Luis, AZ 85349
(928) 722-6112
7:00 am – 3:00 pm Mon-Fri
Rapid testing available
No fee to you with insurance 1 time
No appointments available, drive up testing
Antibody (COVID-19 past exposure test) & Swab (COVID-19 diagnosis test) and Flu Vaccines

San Luis Walk In Clinic - SOMERTON
950 E. Main St. Building B
Somerton, AZ 85349
(928) 236-8001
7:00 am – 3:00 pm Mon-Fri
Rapid testing available
No fee to you with insurance 1 time
No appointments available, drive up testing
Antibody (COVID-19 past exposure test) & Swab (COVID-19 diagnosis test) and Flu Vaccines

NextCare
1394 W. 16th St
Yuma, AZ 85364
(928) 539-0055
8:00 am – 8:00 pm Sun-Sat
www.nextcare.com – Check in online

Covid-19 Testing
Antibody Testing
No fee to you with insurance
$161 without insurance
Limited number available
Doctor determines if the test will be Rapid or Send off

San Luis Urgent Care
1233 N Main St Suite 1A
San Luis, AZ 85366
(928) 550-5514
9:00 am – 9:00 pm Mon-Sat
NO RAPID TESTING AVAILABLE
Lab ONLY after evaluation with a doctor. Doctor determines if they will test.
No fee if you do not have insurance

Pinnacle Healthcare
4343 E 31st Place
Yuma, AZ 85365
(928) 341.4544
9:00 am – 3:00 pm Mon-Fri
No appointment needed. Drive-thru
Send out testing - $50
Rapid testing - $75
No fee to you with insurance

St. Francis of Assisi Yuma – Embry Health
1815 S. 8th Ave.
Yuma, AZ 85364
(480) 376-2170
8:00 am – 2:00 pm – Mon-Thurs/Sat/Sun
1:00 pm – 6:00 pm – Friday
No fee

St. John Neumann Roman Catholic Yuma – Embry Health
11545 E. 40th St.
Yuma, AZ 85367
(480) 376-2170
8:00 am – 2:30 pm Mon-Fri
8:00 am – 3:00 pm Sat
No fee

Arizona Desert Elementary School – Embry Health
1245 N. Main St.
San Luis, AZ 85349
(480) 376-2170
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm – Mon-Fri
8:00 am – 5:00 pm – Sat & Sun
No fee

PrimeCare Valley
1581 S 6th Ave
Yuma, AZ 85364

(928) 343-0488
Testing Daily 8:00am - 6:30pm
Rapid antigen testing available $25
Rapid antibody testing available $70
Regular-Send Out Test (PCR) No fee to you with insurance
Regular-Send Out Test (PCR) FREE to you without insurance

PrimeCare Central
284 W 32nd St
Yuma, AZ 85364
(928) 341-4563
Testing Daily 7:00am - 9:30pm
Rapid antigen testing available $25
Rapid antibody testing available $70
Regular-Send Out Test (PCR) No fee to you with insurance
Regular-Send Out Test (PCR) FREE to you without insurance

PrimeCare Foothills
11279 S Glenwood Ave
Yuma, AZ 85367
(928) 345-6830
Testing Monday-Friday 7:00am - 2:30pm
Saturday-Sunday 7am-11:30pm
Rapid antigen testing available $25
Rapid antibody testing available $70
Regular-Send Out Test (PCR) No fee to you with insurance
Regular-Send Out Test (PCR) FREE to you without insurance

Question of the Day: If I have already had COVID-19 and recovered, do I still need to get vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine? (Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention)

- Yes, you should be vaccinated regardless of whether you already had COVID-19. That's because experts do not yet know how long you are protected from getting sick again after recovering from COVID-19. Even if you have already recovered from COVID-19, it is possible—although rare—that you could be infected with the virus that causes COVID-19 again. Learn more about why getting vaccinated is a safer way to build protection than getting infected.

- If you were treated for COVID-19 with monoclonal antibodies or convalescent plasma, you should wait 90 days before getting a COVID-19 vaccine. Talk to your doctor if you are unsure what treatments you received or if you have more questions about getting a COVID-19 vaccine.

- Experts are still learning more about how long vaccines protect against COVID-19 in real-world conditions. CDC will keep the public informed as new evidence becomes available.

- Related page: Benefits of Getting Vaccinated

Arizona Department of Health Services (ADHS) recent updates can be found on the COVID-19 Reporting Dashboard.

- You can access the [COVID-19 Reporting Dashboard](#)
- You can access the [COVID-19 Cases by Zip Code](#)
- Please take note of new reporting data available on the dashboard:
  - Summary
  - Demographics
  - COVID-19 Deaths
  - Zip Code
  - Confirmed COVID-19 Cases by Day
  - Hospitalization
  - Hospital COVID-like & Influenza-like illness Surveillance
  - Laboratory Testing
  - Congregate Settings with Positive COVID-19 Cases
  - Hospital Bed Usage & Availability
  - Ventilator Usage & Availability
  - Hospital COVID-19 Specific Metrics

HOW can YOU get a flu shot in Yuma County?

The 2020-2021 Seasonal Influenza Vaccine is now available at the Health District, 2200 W. 28th Street in Yuma. Seasonal flu vaccinations are available for all individuals 6 months of age and older. The cost is $25.00 for adults and $10.00 for youth 18 years and younger. Medicare Part B, AHCCCS and Private Insurance are accepted upon presentation of card.

Flu vaccine is available BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. Please call: (928)317-4559

Yuma County health officials confirm "moderate spread" of COVID-19 throughout Yuma County. We encourage all residents to take the necessary precautions including physical distancing and staying home if you are sick. Remember to:

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for 20 seconds.
- Avoid touching your face, especially your eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Avoid people who are sick, and avoid groups of 10 people or more.
- Clean and disinfect frequently-touched surfaces like light switches, door knobs, electronic devices, etc.
- Stay home if you are sick so you do not expose others.
- Practice physical distancing, staying 6 feet away from others.
- Cover your mouth and nose with a cloth face cover when around others.

JOINT INFORMATION CENTER (JIC) UPDATE

NOTE, some of the below information has been updated from previous releases. Please be sure to read all segments.

YUMA COUNTY

Yuma County Government Offices PUBLIC visitation hours are ([PDF LIST](#)):

County Administration, Human Resources and Financial Services offices at 198 S. Main Street are open to public Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The County Assessor, Treasurer, Recorder and Elections Services, located at 197 S. Main Street/192 Maiden Lane, are open to the public Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

County libraries continue to provide public access based on facility size and staffing to minimize exposure to COVID-19:

- The Main Library, San Luis, Somerton and Foothills Libraries will have metered access based on size and staffing, with a limit on the number of people in the library at one time.
- Heritage, Dateland, Wellton and Roll Libraries will be by appointment only, due to their smaller staffing.
- Please visit the Library's website for more information on hours and available services.

CITY OF YUMA

City Hall is open 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays. Face masks are required. Patrons should please use the marked social distance spacing in customer service areas.

To honor our healthcare workers and the sacrifices they make, the City of Yuma has launched Adopt-a-Nurse Yuma, an initiative to pool local resources to provide meals and other encouragement efforts for our city's healthcare workers. Yumans can participate by making a donation, or dropping off a thank-you, Christmas or holiday card. Residents can also simply reach out to an acquaintance in the healthcare field to thank them for the work they are doing on behalf of our entire region. Individuals, businesses, and community organizations interested in supporting the initiative are encouraged to contact Arlyn Galaviz at arlyn.galaviz@yumaaz.gov.

Marine Corps Air Station - Yuma

Effective 04 September, the Trusted Traveler Program has been reinstated. Visitors without a CAC or DOD identification will be allowed to enter with a sponsor. Visitors will be required to provide justification for needing access to the installation and granted access to the base with someone who has a CAC or DOD identification card who will be sponsoring/escorting them aboard the base.

Under the program, sponsors and/or guests may be subject to a background check.

Safety measures are still required by MCAS Yuma in order to help stop the spread of COVID-19.

YUMA PROVING GROUND

Although certain access restrictions directed by the Department of the Army are in place, Yuma Proving Ground's essential test mission in support of Army modernization priorities continues. Access to Yuma Proving Ground is currently restricted to the following:

* YPG residents, including Travel Camp residents
* YPG employees
* Civilian contractors who work at YPG
* Other personnel who come to YPG for an authorized purpose (including personnel on official orders to YPG, DoD retirees/ID card holders, and delivery drivers)

PUBLIC is urged to follow on FACEBOOK & TWITTER as well as sign up for Yuma County eNOTIFICATIONS